

LARA HAMDAN

EXPERIENCE

Producer | St. Louis Public Radio | 2018 - Current

- Produce segments for daily "St. Louis on the Air" talk show
 - Focus on politics, history, science and technology, music and culture
- Research and write scripts for host
- Write digital stories and headlines for show segments
- Hosted talk show segments
- Produce and edit audio features
- Operate soundboard
- Plan and organize interactive live events with a focus on audience member engagement

Online Producer | St. Louis Public Radio

Oct 2017 – June 2018

- Researched and pitched segments "St. Louis on the Air" daily talk show
- Wrote two to three digital stories daily
- Edited audio using Adobe Audition

News Intern | St. Louis Public Radio

May 2017 – Sept 2017

- Shadowed reporters, covered daily news and produced audio features

Intern | Hispanic Chamber of Commerce-STL

Feb 2017 – May 2017

- Wrote articles featured on the HCC-STL website, e-newsletter and magazine
- Produced graphic design materials
- Photographed events

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ADDITIONAL EXPERIENCE

- Contributed reporting for NPR feature on teen activist Ahd Tamimi's release from Israeli prison, alongside NPR Jerusalem correspondent Daniel Estrin. June 2018
- Guest hosted St. Louis Public Radio's "Too Much News" program on Twitch

EDUCATION

Webster University | 2017

B.A. Journalism

- Minor in International Relations
- Studied abroad in Geneva, Switzerland

SKILLS

Fluent in Arabic. Proficient in Spanish. Member of the Arab and Middle Eastern Journalists Association. Familiar with basic HTML. Edit using Adobe Audition & ProTools. Creative digital and audio storyteller. Podcast producer.